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**PATENT**  
**CASE NO. 56/350**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application: )  
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Erich Strasser )  
) Group Art Unit: 2863  
)  
Serial No.: 09/835,293 )  
) Examiner: Washburn, Douglas N.  
Filed: April 13, 2001 )  
)  
For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR )  
DETECTION OF OSCILLATIONS )  
BY A POSITION MEASURING )  
SYSTEM )

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed February 6, 2006. This Amendment is necessary and was not earlier presented, because it responds to new arguments made in the Office Action. It is not believed that the present Amendment will require a new search or present new issues. Accordingly, Applicants request that the present Amendment be considered and entered. Please amend claims 1, 16, 18, 19, 21 and 22 as follows: